

HOUSE RESOLUTION 41

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A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Eugenia Musick of Hamblen County on her selection as Teacher of the Year at Hillcrest.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to specially recognize those outstanding teachers who have devoted their careers to providing the highest quality education for Tennessee's students; and

WHEREAS, Eugenia Musick is one such estimable educator, who has distinguished herself as a professional of the greatest dedication, ability and integrity; and

WHEREAS, Eugenia Musick has recently been selected Teacher of the Year by Hillcrest Elementary School, an honor most befitting her outstanding tenure as a teacher as it recognizes the positive influence she has had on so many young lives; and

WHEREAS, she received her Bachelor's Degree from Tusculum College and has done extended studies with the University of Tennessee and East Tennessee State University; and

WHEREAS, Eugenia has served with acumen and alacrity as an extended resource teacher at Hillcrest for 15 exemplary years; prior to that, she was an extended resource teacher at Lincoln Heights Learning Center since 1985; and

WHEREAS, she is an extremely talented and compassionate educator who works assiduously to motivate her students to reach their full potential, both as scholars and as citizens; and

WHEREAS, Eugenia Musick truly serves as an inspiration to her colleagues and students alike, and her friendship and counsel are highly valued by those who are fortunate to know her; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to these types of accolades, Eugenia Musick was named ARC Teacher of the Year in 1996 and is a member of the American Education Week and School Improvement Committees; and

WHEREAS, a deeply spiritual person, Eugenia is an active member of Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church where she serves in various capacities; and

WHEREAS, her many professional accomplishments aside, Eugenia Musick is most appreciative of the love, support and companionship she shares with her family; and

WHEREAS, Eugenia Musick truly epitomizes the ideal of the dedicated teacher who is wholly committed to the highest ideals of public service and quality education for all, and she should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby honor and congratulate Eugenia Musick on being chosen Teacher of the Year at Hillcrest Elementary School, commend her exceptional service to the children of Tennessee, salute her professional expertise and personal excellence and wish her all the best in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.